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Mr. Houlihan: One of our staff people inadvertently sent me the note appended below about Cal Water's ESP program. Since it is technically an *ex parte* contact, in that it communicates information to me that Cal Water gave Commission staff about the ESP program, I would request that Cal Water prepare and file an *ex parte* notice about the information. I have asked the staff person not to send me more information of this type.

The ESP program is at issue in the hearings. I would appreciate an update on the status and composition of the program at hearings. Cal Water: Please serve supplemental testimony to include the latest developments no later than February 8, 2008.

Thank you,

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Subject: RE: Cal Water has chosen to no longer provide ESP service

Tom Smegal says CWS has a contract with the new ESP company to bill for them. For this service, CWS will be paid 50 cents per customer. He says the only other service CWS will provide will be to give customers the ESP company telephone number if a customer asks for it. Jerry Oh of DRA has requested further information from CWS.

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